

**TOWN OF SOMERS  
WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY  
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES  
March 2, 2021  
7:30 PM –TELE-MEETING**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

The Tele-Conference meeting was called to order at 7:31 pm by Chairman, James Botellio. Other members present were: Mark Folsom, Mark Marschall, Stephen Getman, Dan Fraro and Charles Colby. Also present was Steven Jacobs, Sanitarian.

**II. MINUTES**

The minutes of 2/2/2020 were reviewed.

*A motion was made by Mr. Getman to approve the minutes as written, 2nd by Mr. Folsom, all in favor, motion passed.*

**III. SOMERSVILLE WPCF - Pilot Project**

Mr. Jacobs, Mr. Botellio and Atty. Landolina had a conference call with Atty. Janet Brooks, who has worked with DEEP in the past, to discuss our situation and strategy moving forward.

Atty. Landolina sent another letter to Graham Stevens, DEEP, requesting a meeting and questioning the status of our discharge permit and our appeal. He also reached out to Sen. Kissel for assistance in resolving this matter.

The Authority would also like Selectman Knorr to request assistance from the state. Mr. Jacobs was asked to set up a meeting with Mr. Botellio and Knorr to discuss the matter.

**IV. CORRESPONDENCE/AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION**

- Mr. Jacobs was copied on an email from 1<sup>st</sup> Selectman Knorr to Brian Czapla, Superintendent, stating it would not be beneficial for Somers to join NCDHD at the present time.
- Mr. Jacobs presented the Sewer Billing Reports: Collections are 94% for Somersville and 96% for Maple Ridge.
- No call-in participation.

**V. BILLS/TRANSFERS**

Bills are currently being paid with approval of the Superintendent only, due to the pandemic situation.

**VI. ADJOURNMENT**

*A motion was made by Mr. Colby to adjourn the meeting at 7:50 pm, 2nd by Mr. Marschall, all in favor, motion passed.*

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel Fraro  
Recording Secretary